

GHOST

COMICS

No. 11

I-I CAN'T RESIST!
I MUST GO WHERE
SHE CALLS ME!

THE WITCH'S DOLL
INCUBI OF THE SNOWS

To my nephew
I bequeath the
contents of the
Tower Room at
Raven's Manor.

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THE BIG

SIX

OF THE COMICS!

*Don't guess,
get the best!*

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all newsstands!*



Look for the BULL'S-EYE!



THE CLIMBING EXPEDITION NEARED THE SUMMIT OF THE AWESOME TIBETAN MOUNTAIN-J-4. WOULD THEY ENCOUNTER THE LEGENDARY DWELLERS OF THE MOUNTAINTOP-- THE TERRIBLE "ABOMINABLE SNOWMEN"?

LORDS OF THE UPPER AIR

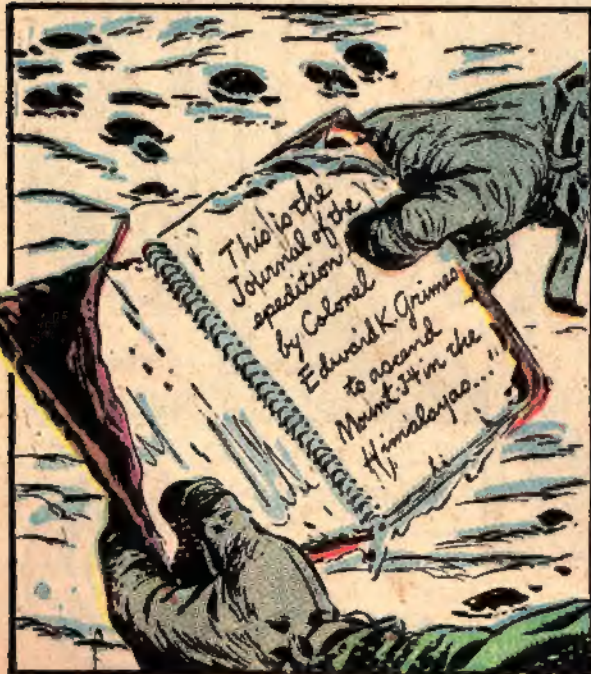


JOHNNY BELL

A RESCUE PARTY, CLIMBING MOUNT J-4 IN SEARCH OF THE LOST GRIMES' EXPEDITION, HAS STUMBLED ON A VALUABLE CLUE...

THEY MUST HAVE PASSED THIS POINT! THIS IS GRIMES' JOURNAL!

COME ON, READ IT! MAYBE WE'LL GET AN IDEA WHAT HAPPENED TO THEM!



"As we prepared for the ascent, the natives gave us a strange warning..."

WE BEG YOU NOT TO TRY TO CLIMB THIS MOUNTAIN, COLONEL! THE LORDS OF THE MOUNTAIN WILL CAST A SPELL ON YOU! THEY WILL MAKE YOU GHOST-MEN!

THIS IS INTERESTING, WILSON! THAT OLD LEGEND ABOUT THE "ABOMINABLE SNOWMEN!"

YES, THE SNOWMEN! MANY CLIMBERS HAVE BEEN LOST- THEY HAVE BEEN TAKEN BY THE SNOWMEN!

BUT NO ONE HAS EVER SEEN THESE SNOWMEN!

MANY MEN HAVE SEEN THEM- BUT THEY HAVE NOT COME BACK FROM THE MOUNTAIN TO TELL OF IT!

WELL, THANKS FOR THE TIP, LAO, BUT WE'LL COME BACK FROM THE MOUNTAIN ...FROM THE TOP OF IT!

"The climb was hard but uneventful up to our final camp..."

IF THE WEATHER HOLDS, COLONEL, I THINK WE SHOULD TRY FOR THE SUMMIT TOMORROW!

YES... I THINK ALL FOUR OF US SHOULD BE ABLE TO MAKE IT!

COLONEL! LOOK THERE! WHAT IS THAT ...THING?

LOOKS LIKE SOMETHING'S THERE... I CAN'T MAKE IT OUT!

"Courtney and Harris joined Wilson and me as we scrambled toward the spot..."

I CAN'T SEE IT NOW... PROBABLY A SNOW FORMATION...

FOOTPRINTS!... SOME ANIMAL... OR MAYBE THE "SNOWMEN..."

NONSENSE! JUST DEPRESSIONS IN THE SNOW, CAUSED BY THE WIND...

It was that night that Courtney heard the voice

COURTNEY! COURTNEY!



WHO IS THAT? IS IT GRIMES? WHAT DO YOU WANT?

COURTNEY... COURTNEY...



GO BACK... GO BACK!



IT'S COURTNEY! WHO'S HE TALKING TO?



I HEARD SOMEONE CALLING... I THOUGHT IT WAS ONE OF YOU... BUT IT WASN'T...

WHAT DO YOU MEAN IT WASN'T?



I SAW HIM! IT WAS DAWSON! YOU REMEMBER DAWSON... HE WAS LOST ON THIS MOUNTAIN TEN YEARS AGO!

FANTASTIC! YOU KNOW DAWSON COULDN'T HAVE LIVED HERE FOR TEN YEARS!



I... I DON'T THINK IT WAS DAWSON... ALIVE! I THINK IT WAS HIS GHOST! THIS MOUNTAIN IS HAUNTED!



"The next morning we decided that Courtney and Harris would make the first attempt to reach the top..."

I'M STILL WONDERING ABOUT THAT...THING LAST NIGHT...

FORGET IT! CLIMBERS OFTEN THINK THEY SEE AND HEAR THINGS AT THESE ALTITUDES! YOU KNOW THAT?



WE'LL BE FOLLOWING YOU! LOTS OF LUCK!



"Courtney and Harris had gone about 200 yards when..."

HARRIS! LOOK AT IT! WATCHING US!



COURTNEY! DON'T BE A FOOL! WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

IT'S DAWSON - CALLING ME! HE'S OUR ONLY HOPE OF ESCAPE FROM THE SNOWMEN!



COURTNEY! COURTNEY!

DAWSON...I'M COMING! HELP ME!



"Harris staggered back to camp... and we listened in horror..."

...HE SAID...THE GHOST WAS THE ONLY ONE WHO COULD HELP HIM...

POOR COURTNEY...



BUT...I SAW THE SNOWMAN TOO! WE HAVE TO GO BACK!

WE'RE GOING TO THE TOP! WE'LL LOOK FOR COURTNEY ON THE WAY!



"That night none of us slept well - the next morning we tried again for the summit."



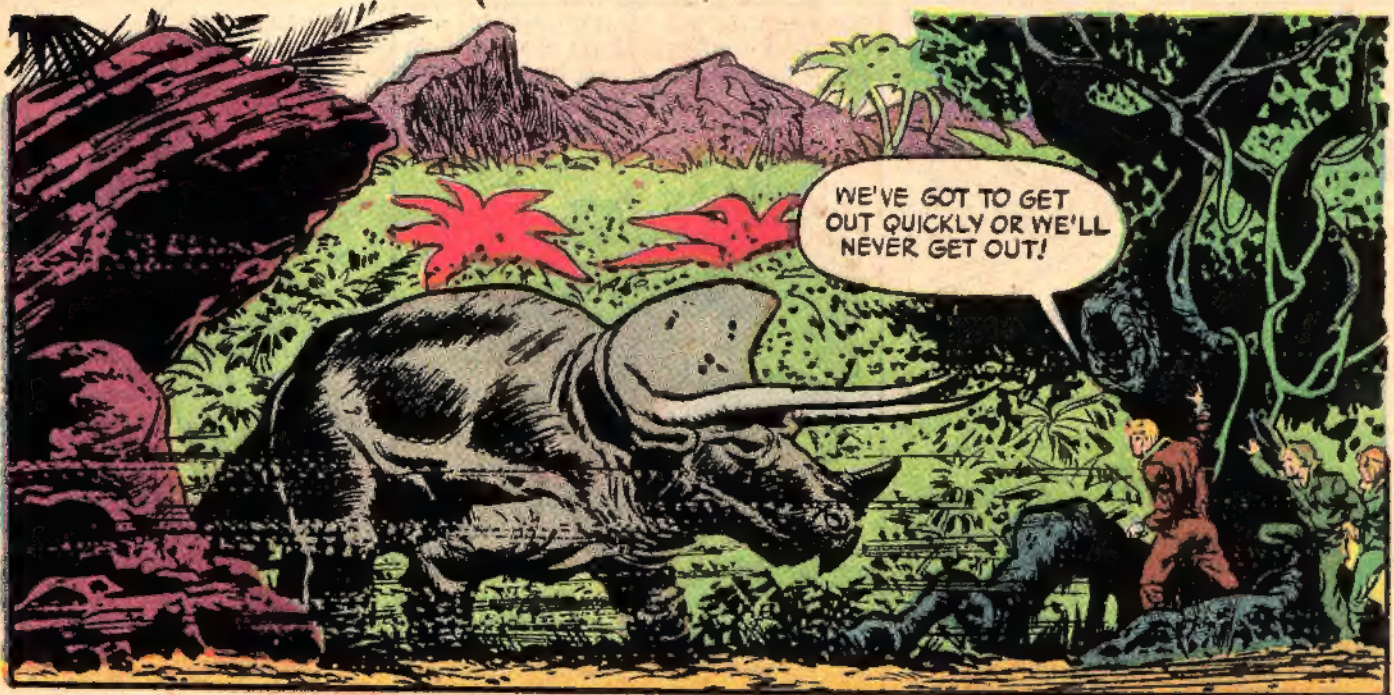
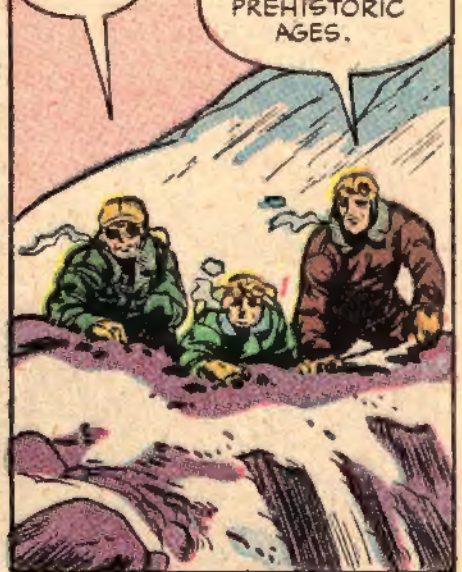
I TELL YOU WE SHOULDN'T BE HERE! IT'S HAUNTED!

NONSENSE! WONDER WHAT'S ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THAT KNOLL - ?



I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!

LIKE SOME-THING OUT OF THE PREHISTORIC AGES.



WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT QUICKLY OR WE'LL NEVER GET OUT!

THIS MUST BE A NIGHTMARE! IT'S ONE OF THE "SNOWMEN!"

THEY'RE THE LORDS OF THIS MOUNTAIN AND THEY'LL SUCK OUR SOULS FROM OUR BODIES!



HELP! I CAN'T OUT-RUN IT...

COME ON...COME ON!



LOOK AT THOSE MEN, WILSON! THEY'RE LIKE SLAVES...GUARDED BY THE SNOWMEN!

THERE'S SOMETHING ODD ABOUT... THE WAY THEY LOOK!





THERE'S COURTNEY AT THE END...HE'S ALIVE!

IT'S COURTNEY...BUT IS HE ALIVE?



WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

THEY CAST NO SHADOWS-- LEAVE NO FOOTPRINTS! THE STORIES MUST BE TRUE--THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMEN MAKE GHOSTS OF MEN...AND KEEP THEM UNDER THEIR SPELL!



WE'VE GOT TO GET OUT OF HERE!

WAIT! HERE COMES HARRIS! HE MUST HAVE GOTTEN AWAY!



NO--HE DIDN'T GET AWAY! HE'S --A GHOST...



IF WE CAN MAKE IT TO THE RIM OF THE VALLEY BEFORE THE SNOWMEN SEE US...



DO YOU THINK WE'RE CLEAR OF THOSE THINGS?

I HAVEN'T SEEN ANY OF THEM!

"We had descended about 400 yards...we thought we were clear..."

IT'S NIGHT...WE HAVE A BETTER CHANCE!



IT'S ONE OF THEM!

I DON'T THINK THEY CAN SEE SO WELL IN THE DARK...



"It seemed like an eternity that I crouched there... then I looked around..."

WILSON, IT'S GONE!

WILSON-- WILSON...WHERE ARE YOU?



HE MUST HAVE WANDERED AWAY IN THE DARK! I'VE GOT TO KEEP GOING.



"It was toward morning that I heard him..."

GRIMES... GRIMES... WAIT!



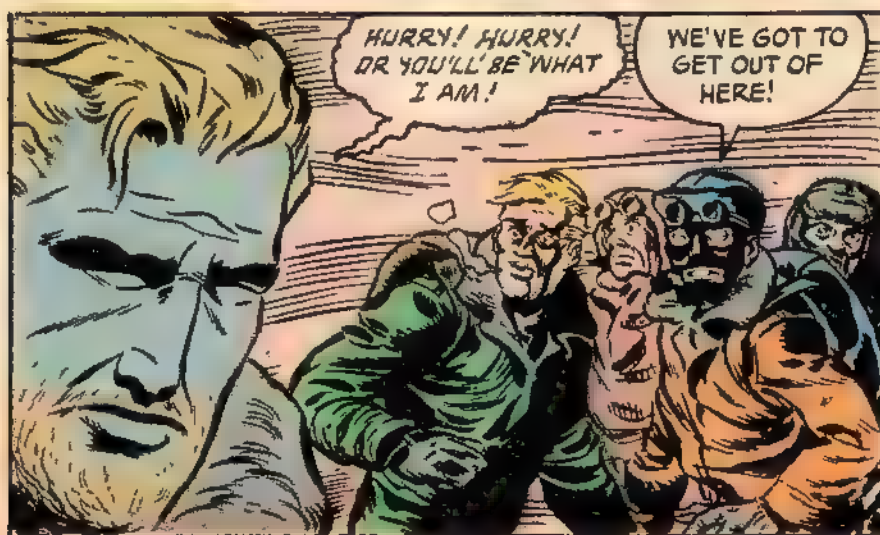
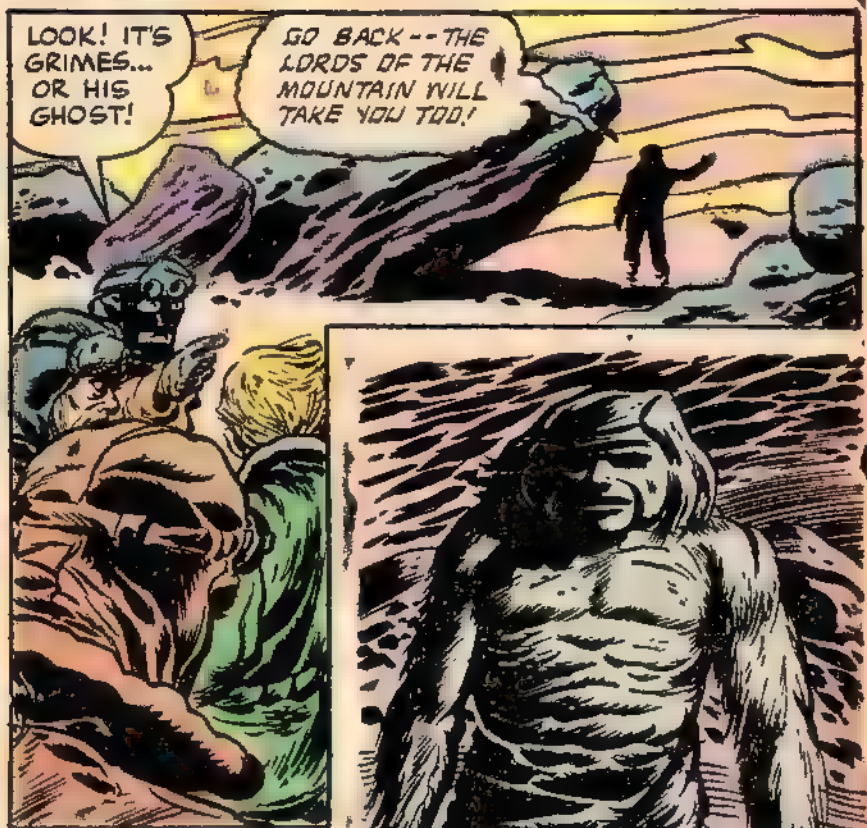
IT WILL SOON BE LIGHT AND WE CAN GO DOWN QUICKLY... AWAY FROM THIS HORROR!

LET ME GUIDE YOU. I KNOW THE WAY!



THE SUN IS BRIGHT BUT WILSON CASTS NO SHADOW!





GRAB-BAG



THE GIRLS LIFTED THE PRETTY THINGS THEY HAD BOUGHT AT THE AUCTION...BUT WAS THERE SOMEONE ELSE CLAIMING THEM? SOMEONE FROM THE OTHER SIDE OF THE GRAVE!



AND NOW, SORORITY SISTERS, I'M GOING TO TELL YOU ABOUT SOMETHING THAT REALLY HAPPENED AT MY LAST COLLEGE!

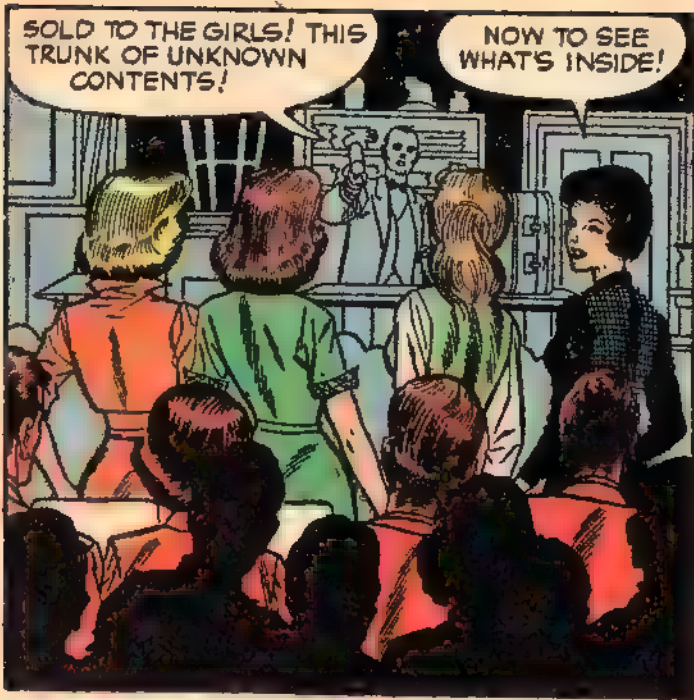


WE WERE PLANNING A GRAB BAG PARTY...

BUT WHAT CAN WE PUT IN THE GRAB-BAG?

I HAVE A TERRIFIC IDEA! THE CITY IS SELLING UNCLAIMED MERCHANDISE AT AUCTION! MAYBE WE CAN PICK UP SOMETHING THERE!





SOLD TO THE GIRLS! THIS TRUNK OF UNKNOWN CONTENTS!

NOW TO SEE WHAT'S INSIDE!



WHY, SOME OF THIS STUFF IS VERY NICE! I WONDER WHO OWNED IT?

WE'LL NEVER KNOW WHO SHE IS, I GUESS!

CREAK

THE NIGHT BEFORE THE PARTY WE ALL HAD A HIDEOUS DREAM...



STRANGE THAT WE SHOULD ALL HAVE SUCH HORRIBLE NIGHTMARES.

WELL, LET'S NOT LET IT SPOIL THE PARTY! PROBABLY SOMETHING WE ATE!



I GOT THE SILK SCARF! HOW LUCKY!

IT'S BEAUTIFUL! YOU CAN WEAR IT AROUND THE CAMPUS!



THESE SHOES ARE PRACTICALLY BRAND NEW!

I NEED A NICE MIRROR!



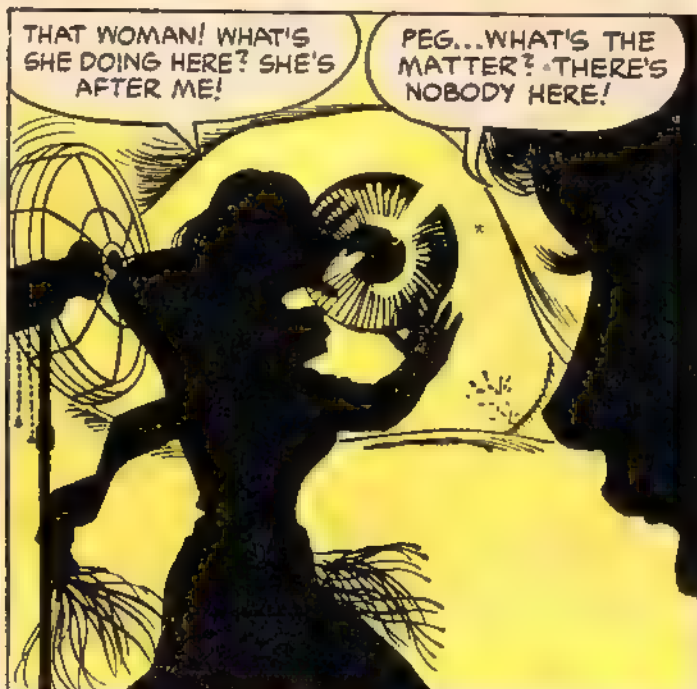
WHAT'S THAT? SOUNDS LIKE SOMEONE MOANING!



A FEW DAYS LATER, PEG DECIDED TO WEAR HER SCARF...



SUDDENLY SHE BEGAN TO SCREAM...



SO PEG WAS THE FIRST ONE TO GO! I COULDN'T UNDERSTAND WHAT SHE WAS SAYING...ABOUT THE WOMAN AND ALL...I THOUGHT SHE HAD JUST SUDDENLY SNAPPED!



A COUPLE OF WEEKS LATER, LINDY DECIDED TO WEAR THE SHOES...

ARE YOU MEETING BOB?

YES, WE'RE GOING FOR A WALK UP NEAR LOVER'S LEAP! GIVE YOU A COMPLETE REPORT ON IT WHEN WE GET BACK!



NICE UP HERE TONIGHT! NICE AND LONELY!

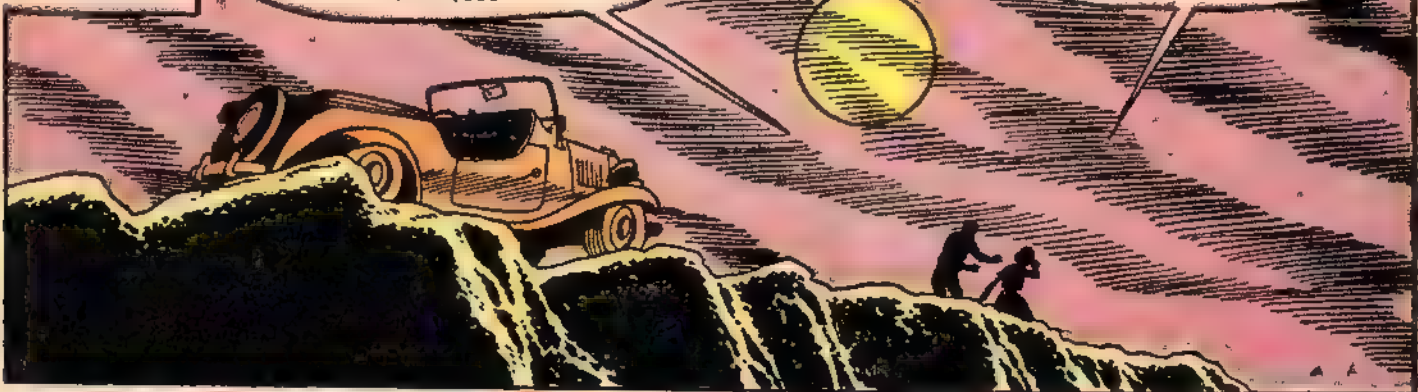
NOT GETTING IDEAS, ARE YOU, ROBERT?



BOB TOLD US ABOUT IT LATER...

LINDY, WHAT'S THE MATTER? ALL OF A SUDDEN YOU LOOK FUNNY...

A VOICE...CALLING ME! CAN'T YOU HEAR IT?



COME...COME...COME...COME...

A VOICE? NO, I CAN'T HEAR IT...

FROM OUT THERE... A WOMAN'S VOICE...



LINDY WHERE ARE YOU GOING? HAVE YOU GONE NUTS?





LINDY, STOP!

I CAN'T HELP IT... THESE SHOES... ARE TAKING MY FEET... OUT THERE!



THUD



LINDY WAS KILLED. WE ALL ASSUMED HER MIND HAD BEEN AFFECTED BY WHAT HAPPENED TO PEG...

WE ALL TALKED ABOUT IT... BUT WINNIE DIDN'T WORRY TOO MUCH...



WELL, IT WAS JUST A COINCIDENCE, THAT'S ALL! I DON'T SEE ANYTHING FOR ANYONE TO GET ALL EXCITED ABOUT!



ISN'T THAT THE MIRROR YOU WON AT THE PARTY, WIN?

SURE IS! GOT A DATE TONIGHT! HAVE TO LOOK MYSELF OVER TO MAKE SURE I'M EXTRA PRETTY!



THIS MIRROR... THAT FACE... IT ISN'T ME...



NO... NO... NO... NO...

NO...NO...NO...
NO...

SMASH!

LOOK...AT HER
FACE...LIKE AN
OLD WOMAN'S...

SHE'S...
INSANE...

HAHA HAHA HAHA

IS THAT WHY
YOU LEFT THAT
COLLEGE?

WINNIE HAS BEEN IN A SANATORIUM EVER SINCE... AND ALL SHE DOES IS BABBLE ABOUT SOME WOMAN...

IS THAT WHY YOU LEFT THAT COLLEGE?

OOOHHH! JEN, DO YOU
THINK A GHOST WILL
COME AFTER YOU?

...THIS JEWELED PIN!
IT'S MY PRIZE FROM
THE GRAB-BAG!

OOOHHH! JEN, DO YOU
THINK A GHOST WILL
COME AFTER YOU?

NONSENSE! AFTER ALL,
THERE'S NO SUCH THINGS
AS GHOSTS!

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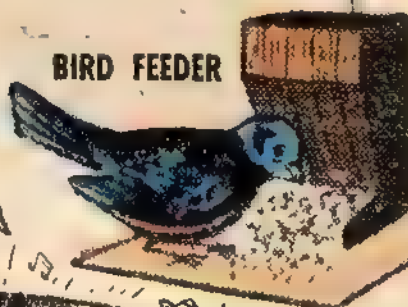
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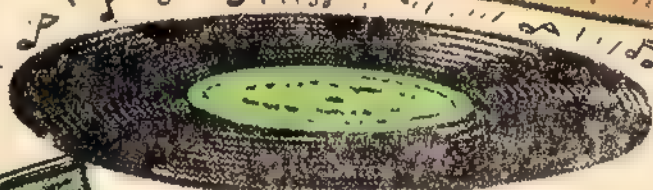


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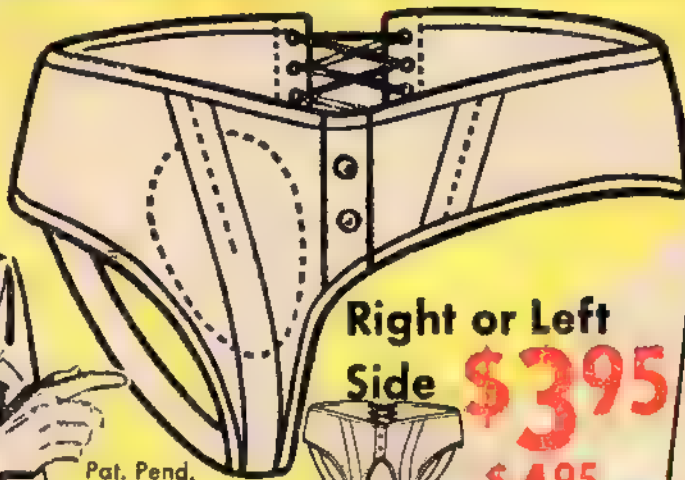
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"NO ONE EVER HATED ANOTHER MORE THAN I LOATHED AND DESPISED FRED BRINKLEY. EVER SINCE THAT ILL-FATED CRUISE AN EVER-SIMMERING SPARK OF SUSPICION CONSTANTLY NAGGED MY BRAIN. PERHAPS I WRONGED HIM - THERE WAS CERTAINLY NO PROOF OF ANY CRIME." BUT WHY THEN DID SOME STRANGE FORBODING CHILL MY BLOOD AS I STOOD ON HIS DOORSTEP AFTER TWENTY LONG YEARS? "

I RECEIVED A NOTE IN THE MORNING MAIL FROM MR. FRED BRINKLEY, ASKING ME TO CALL.

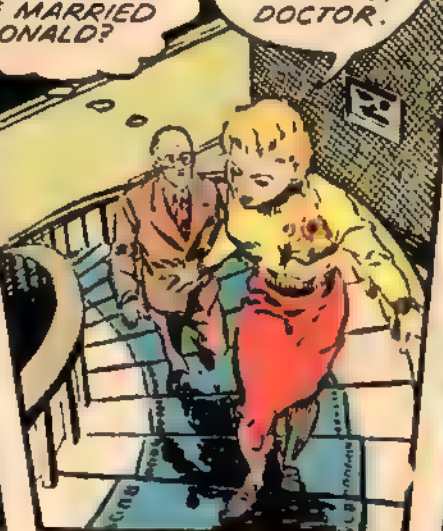
OH, YES. YOU'RE PROFESSOR BROUSSARD. HE'S EXPECTING YOU. COME THIS WAY, PLEASE.

SO... SHE'S FAITH'S DAUGHTER. I WONDER IF SHE KNOWS HOW BOTH FRED AND I WERE RIVALS FOR HER MOTHER'S HAND BEFORE SHE MARRIED DONALD?

UNCLE'S HAD A STROKE, PROFESSOR. HE - HE'S ACTING VERY STRANGELY - YET REFUSES TO CALL A DOCTOR.

AS ABOVE...

AH, THAT'S BROUSSARD COMING NOW. HE'S CURIOUS TO LEARN MY REACTION TO THE GIFT HE SO MYSTERIOUSLY SENT ME! WELL - HE'LL SOON FIND OUT.



THE GIRL USHERED ME INTO HIS PRESENCE AND CLOSED THE DOOR. SO, AFTER TWENTY YEARS WE FACED EACH OTHER - HE LOOKED OLD - AND HIS FACE TWITCHED - A WILD GLEAM BURNED IN HIS EYES...

SIT DOWN, ARMAND. I WANT TO TALK TO YOU ABOUT OLD TIMES.

CERTAINLY, FRED, I SUPPOSE IT'S ABOUT THAT CRUISE WE TOOK WITH YOUR BROTHER DONALD...

...AND HIS WIFE, FAITH. THAT'S THE LAST TIME I SAW YOU, YOU KNOW. **WHAT'S THIS?**



A JOKE, ARMAND? YES, PERHAPS IT IS - IN PAYMENT FOR THE JOKE YOU PLAYED ON ME -

THIS MODEL OF MY BROTHER'S YACHT - I RECEIVED IT YESTERDAY.

JUST A LITTLE SURPRISE, ARMAND. I WANTED TO MAKE SURE YOU DIDN'T LEAVE EARLY.

YOU'VE HANDCUFFED ME TO THE CHAIR. IS THIS IS A JOKE? RELEASE ME AT ONCE!

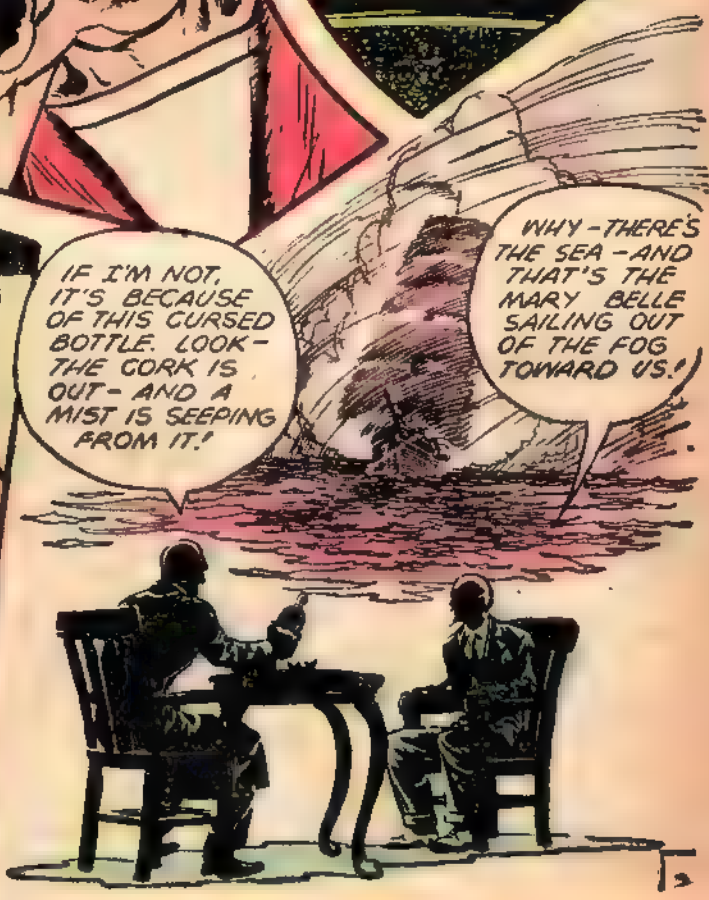


AND I UNCORKED IT, ARMAND - JUST AS I'M GOING TO DO NOW. OH, I KNOW YOU'RE AN EXPERT IN BLACK MAGIC!

FRED, DON'T BE A FOOL. RELEASE ME AND I'LL GET A DOCTOR. YOU'RE NOT WELL!

IF I'M NOT, IT'S BECAUSE OF THIS CURSED BOTTLE. LOOK - THE CORK IS OUT - AND A MIST IS SEEPING FROM IT!

WHY - THERE'S THE SEA - AND THAT'S THE MARY BELLE SAILING OUT OF THE FOG TOWARD US!

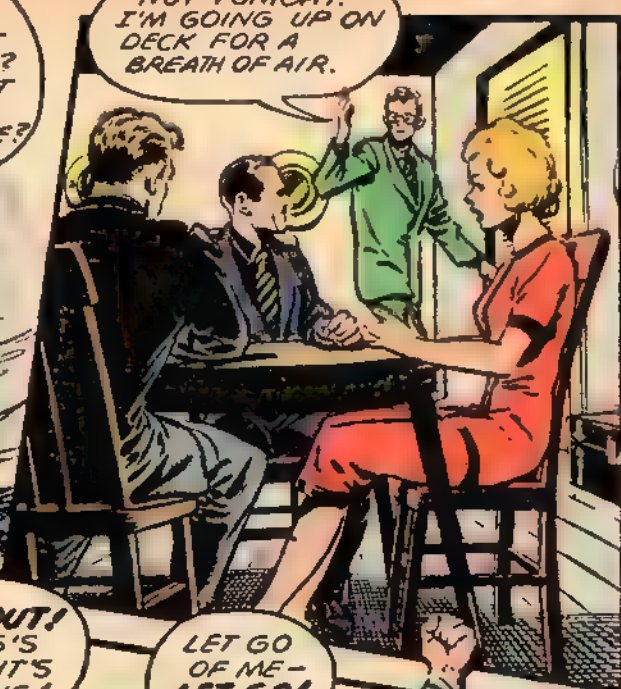


" THEN THE SHIP SKIMMED TOWARD US AS THE ROOM FADED-I HEARD THE CRACK OF STRAINING ROPES- THE SAILS FLAPPING- THE SEA SPLASHING ACROSS THE BOW. IT WAS JUST AS IT WAS TWENTY YEARS AGO AFTER DON HAD MARRIED FAITH, AND I WAS CRUISING WITH THEM..."



HEY ARMAND, WHERE ARE YOU GOING? HOW ABOUT A RUBBER OF BRIDGE?

NOT TONIGHT. I'M GOING UP ON DECK FOR A BREATH OF AIR.



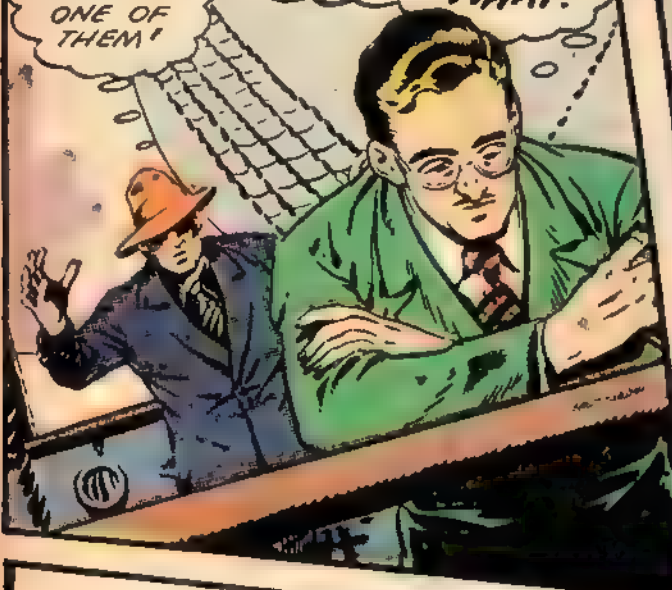
LOOK OUT! RAILING'S WEAK - IT'S BREAKING!

LET GO OF ME - LET GO!



HERE'S WHERE I GET RID OF ONE OF THEM!

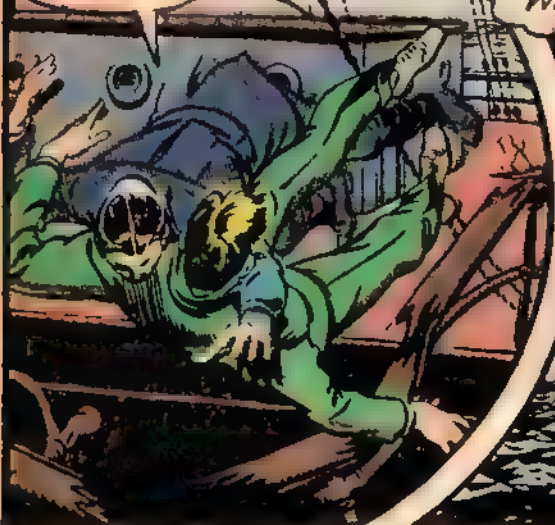
LUCKY DON - BUT FAITH MADE THE RIGHT CHOICE. FRED'S A LOAFER AND I'M ALL WRAPPED UP IN MY SCIENTIFIC WORK - **WHAT!**



WE'RE GOING OVER - **HELP!**

THE FOOL - HE PULLED ME OVER WITH HIM!

QUICK, FRED, THIS WAY - SOMEONE'S THROWING A ROPE!



"FOR A SECOND THE SCENE FADED AND WE WERE BACK IN HIS LIBRARY..."

YOU SUSPECTED ME OF PUSHING YOU, DIDN'T YOU, ARMAND?

YES, BUT I HAD NO PROOF - THEN DON RADIOED FOR HELP...



"AND RUSHED ME ASHORE TO A HOSPITAL. I WAS SICK FROM SHOCK AND EXPOSURE." FRED NODDED AND POINTED TOWARD THE BOTTLE. THE MIST WAS STILL RISING FROM IT - FIGURES WERE TAKING SHAPE AGAIN - THEY WERE ON THE SUN DECK..."

HOPE THERE'S NOTHING SERIOUSLY THE MATTER WITH ARMAND. TOO BAD THE ACCIDENT SPOILED HIS TRIP. WANT SOMETHING, FRED?

YES, DON. WILL YOU STEP DOWN INTO MY CABIN, PLEASE?

IF IT'S MONEY YOU WANT, FRED, I'M SORRY BUT I CAN'T LEND YOU ANY MORE.

NO, BROTHER, IT'S NOT MONEY THIS TIME.

IT'S YOUR LIFE!

OH!!

...AND YOUR WIFE AND YOUR FORTUNE I'M AFTER - AND I'M GOING TO GET THEM!

FIRE! FIRE!
MAN THE LIFEBOATS - ABANDON SHIP! THE WHOLE SHIP'S ON FIRE!

DON'S DOWN THERE, LET ME GO - I'VE GOT TO SAVE HIM!

YOU'RE CRAZY, FAITH - IT'S TOO LATE - QUICK, JUMP FOR THE LIFEBOATS!

COME BACK, FAITH - COME BACK!

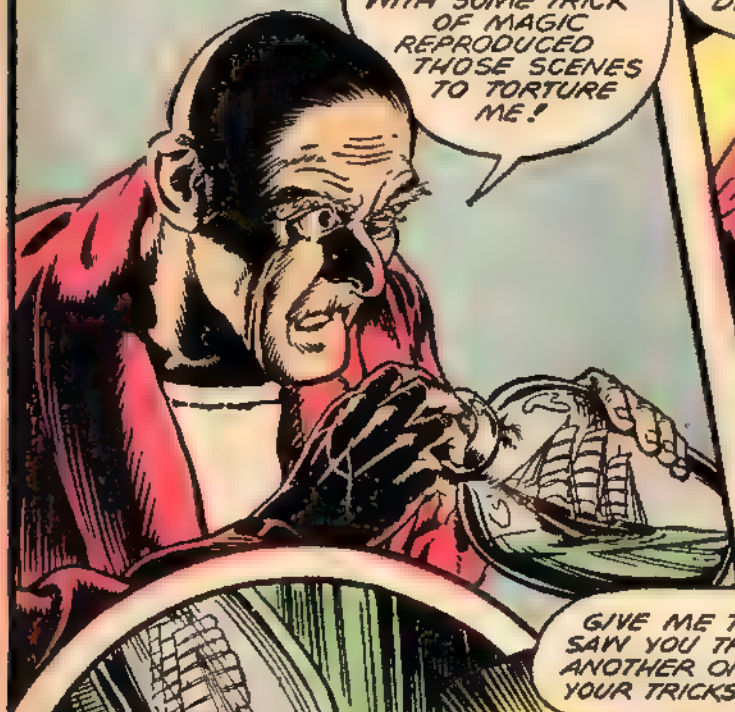
I'M GOING TO SAVE HIM - YOU CAN'T STOP ME!

AGAIN THE SCENE
FADED- AGAIN FRED
WAS STARING WILD-
EYED TOWARDS ME...

SOMEHOW YOU
GUESSED MY
SECRET, ARMAND.
YOU SENT THIS
BOTTLE, AND
WITH SOME TRICK
OF MAGIC
REPRODUCED
THOSE SCENES
TO TORTURE
ME!

FAITH DIED IN THE
FIRE WITH DON
ARMAND. BUT I
INHERITED THEIR
MONEY. NOW YOU
ARE GOING TO
DIE, TOO!

HE'S A MURDERER,
AND I'M IN HIS
POWER. BUT THERE'S
ONE CHANCE.



GIVE ME THAT- I
SAW YOU TRYING
ANOTHER ONE OF
YOUR TRICKS- OHHH!

LOOK! MY
HAND SHRIVELING-
TURNING GREEN-IT'S
SPREADING- I'M
GROWING SMALLER!

I'LL UNCORK THE
BOTTLE. MUST TRY
TO USE SOME OF
MY OWN KNOWLEDGE
OF BLACK MAGIC!

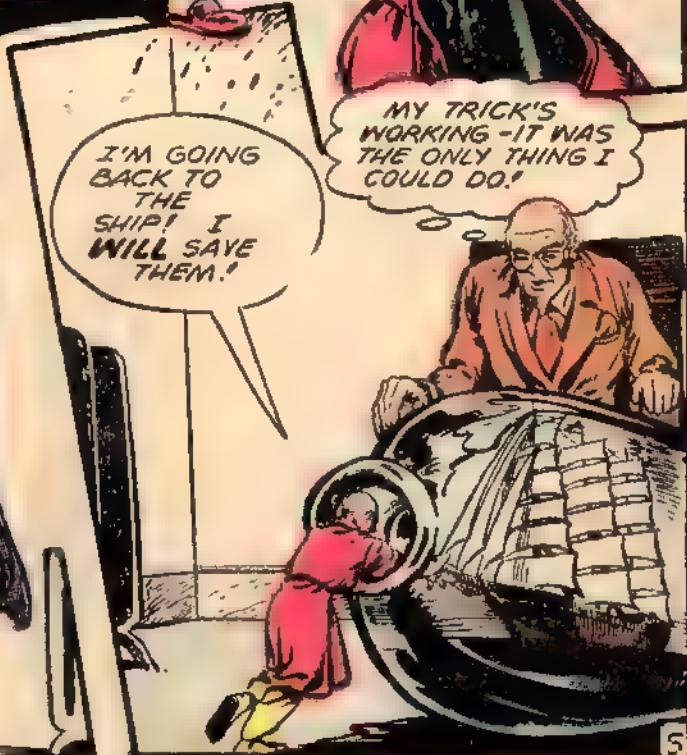


RIGHT THE
WRONG YOU
DID TWENTY
YEARS AGO,
FRED. SAVE
DON AND
FAITH!

YES, YES,
I'LL DO IT.
ARMAND.
I'LL DO IT
NOW!

I'M GOING
BACK TO
THE
SHIP! I
WILL SAVE
THEM!

MY TRICK'S
WORKING- IT WAS
THE ONLY THING I
COULD DO!



"HE CLIMBED INTO THE BOTTLE, RACED ACROSS THE DECK OF THE SHIP!"

"DON' FAITH! I'M COMING! I'LL SAVE YOU!"

I'VE GOT YOU BOTH - WE'LL MAKE IT - I'LL GET YOU OUT - OHHH!

"THEN THE DOOR FLEW OPEN AND THE GIRL RUSHED ACROSS THE ROOM..."

I WAS STANDING OUTSIDE, PROFESSOR BROUSSARD. I HEARD UNCLE FRED CONFESS HOW HE KILLED MY FATHER AND MOTHER! BUT WHERE IS HE?

RELEASE ME, CHILD...

YOUR UNCLE IS GONE - DON'T ASK ANY QUESTIONS - IT WAS ALL FOR THE BEST. BRING ME THE PACKAGE THAT BOTTLE CAME IN.

YES, IT'S IN THE FIREPLACE - I'LL GET IT!

DID YOU EVER SEE THAT HAND - WRITING BEFORE?

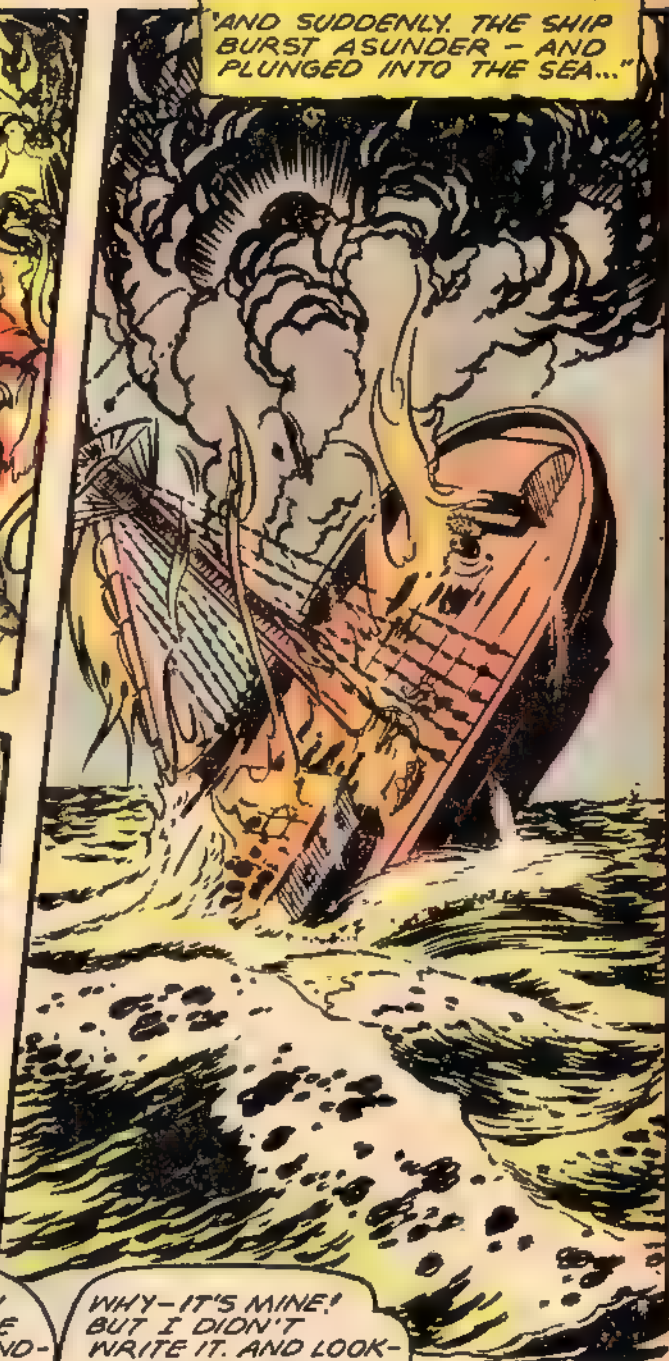
WHY - IT'S MINE! BUT I DIDN'T WRITE IT. AND LOOK - IT COMES FROM PEKIN - I WAS NEVER THERE, PROFESSOR.

"AND THAT'S THE STORY. THERE ARE SOME THINGS THAT CAN NEVER BE EXPLAINED - BUT IT COULD BE THAT SOMEONE WHO KNEW THE HISTORY OF THE CASE DID PRACTICE BLACK MAGIC ON FRED BRINKLEY. BUT I'M SURE THAT NO ONE KNEW - EXCEPT, OF COURSE, MYSELF."

Phot Armand Broussard

THE END

"AND SUDDENLY, THE SHIP BURST ASUNDER - AND PLUNGED INTO THE SEA..."



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DR. DREW...
QUICK! AN
EMERGENCY...
NO TIME TO
EXPLAIN..!

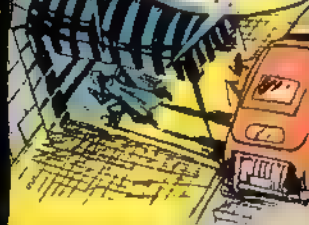
ROYAL HOTEL,
DRIVER...
HURRY!



who thought I was...

I HOPE
WE'RE IN
TIME.. SHE'S
SINKING
RAPIDLY.

IS
THERE
A
DOCTOR
IN
ATTENDANCE
??



somebody else!

DOCTOR ??
BUT YOU...
Y'MEAN YOU
AIN'T
DESMOND
DREW, THE
M.D.





WHAT'LL I DO NOW? DON'T YA KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT MEDICINE?



I'M NOT A MEDICAL PRACTITIONER, BUT I CAN TELL YOU WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS GIRL!

HELP ME-
HELP ME!

I CAN'T STAND ANY MORE OF THIS PAIN!



SHE'S NOT ILL.. THIS IS WITCHCRAFT!

I was taking a chance...but the symptoms matched with those I had read in ancient records of persons bewitched...I muttered a few words of white magic.

OH, THANK YOU, DOCTOR...I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU DID... BUT IT HELPED!

AN ANCIENT SPELL...IT'LL BRING YOU TEMPORARY RELIEF ONLY.. NOW, WHO ARE YOU?

Her name, she said, was Jennie Paris. She was an actress with a travelling stock company. She knew no one in town.



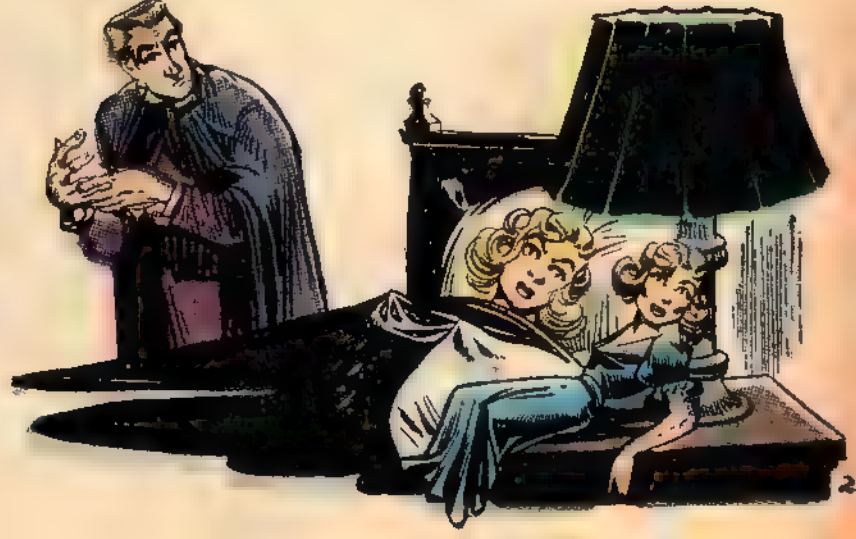
WHAT'S THAT GIBBERISH?



TELL ME, MISS. PARIS...DO YOU HAVE ANY ENEMIES... ANYONE WHO WOULD WISH YOU HARM ??

ENEMIES?? NO... NOT THAT I CAN THINK OF...

AND THEN I SAW IT... IT WAS A DOLL...BUT SO PERFECTLY DID IT DUPLICATE EVERY FEATURE OF JENNIE PARIS' FACE, THAT IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN HERSELF IN MINIATURE!

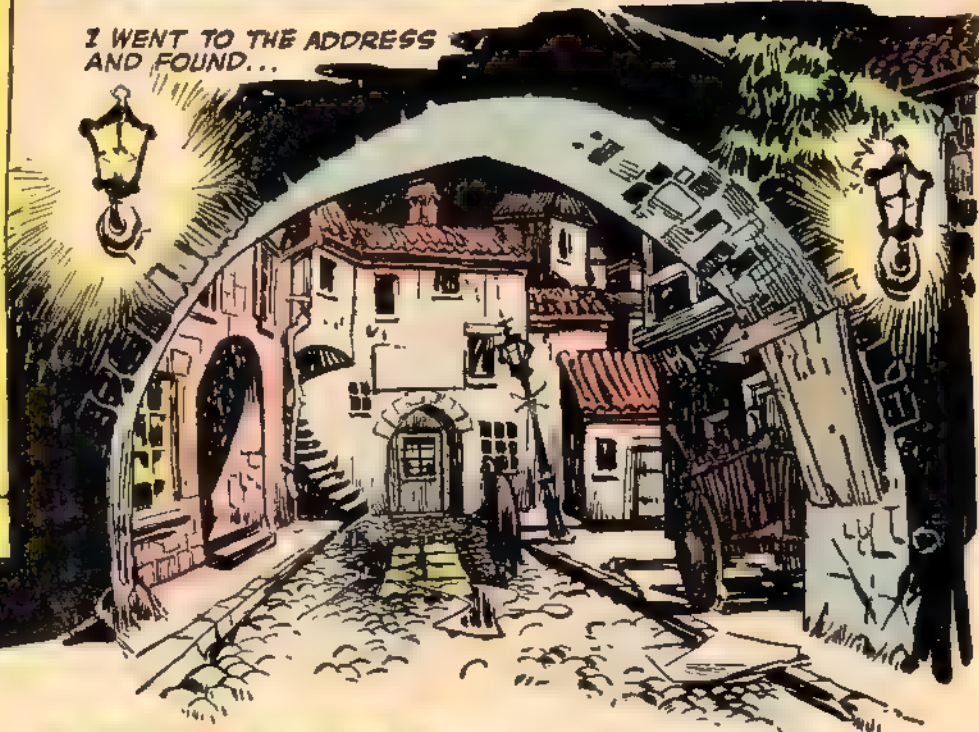




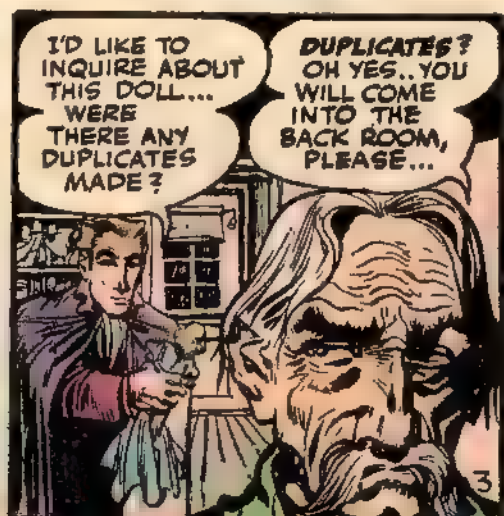
The witch's doll... an ancient hex in which the sorcerer procures a replica of his victim... and on it spews his hated evil, all the while muttering his fearful incantations which cause his victim to feel that hate...

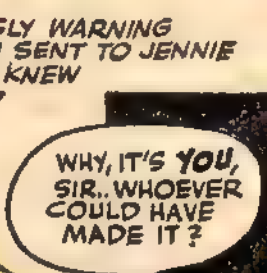
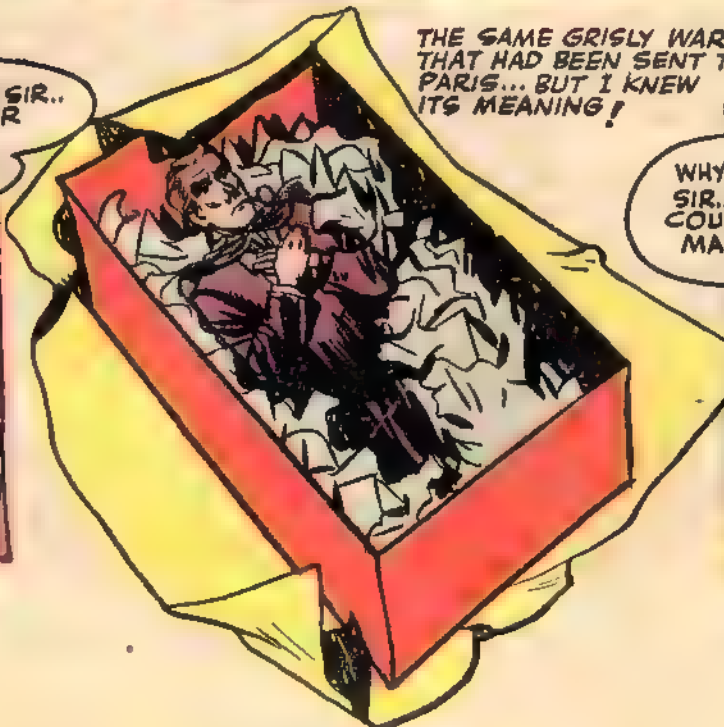
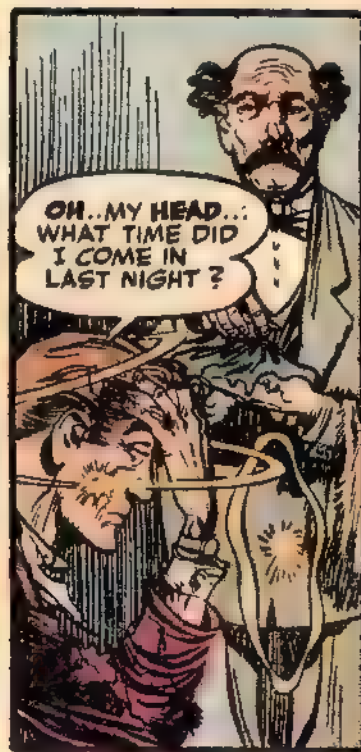
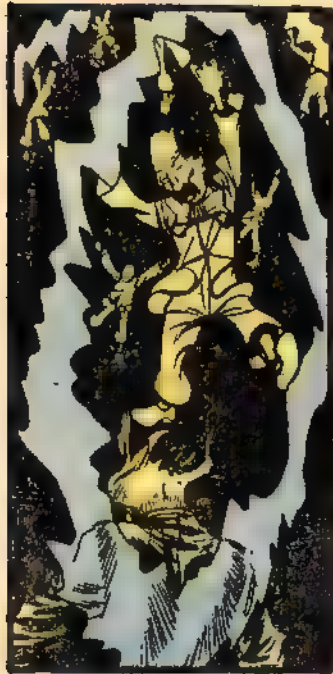
This sort of magic is known in the depths of Africa, but seemed incredible in present-day America. Nevertheless, I took the manufacturer's name..if a duplicate of this doll existed, I would find my sorcerer!

I WENT TO THE ADDRESS AND FOUND...



DOLLS OF EVERY SIZE AND DESCRIPTION FILLED THE SHOP... STARING WITH SIGHTLESS EYES AS I RANG THE BELL.





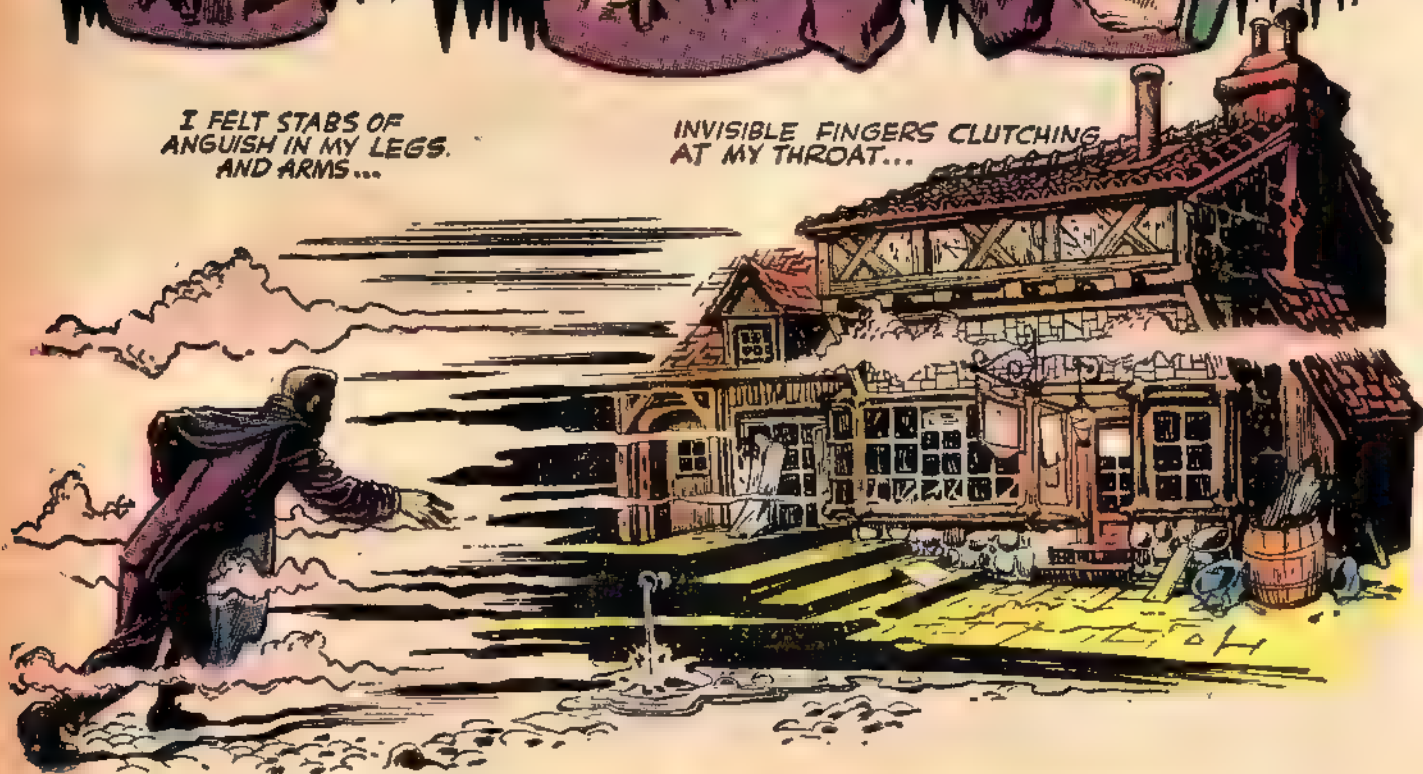
I knew what I had
to do...I set out
for the doll shop...

AND SUDDENLY



I FELT STABS OF
ANGUISH IN MY LEGS
AND ARMS...

INVISIBLE FINGERS CLUTCHING
AT MY THROAT...



IN VAIN DID I INVOKE
THE WHITE MAGIC I KNEW...

THE RANGE WAS TOO CLOSE, FOR POWERFUL
BLACK MAGIC WAS EMANATING FROM THAT TINY SHOP..
AND DIRECTED TOWARD ME !



BUT I MADE IT... STRUGGLED INTO THE SHOP, PAST THE STARTLED PROPRIETOR... INTO THE BACK ROOM...



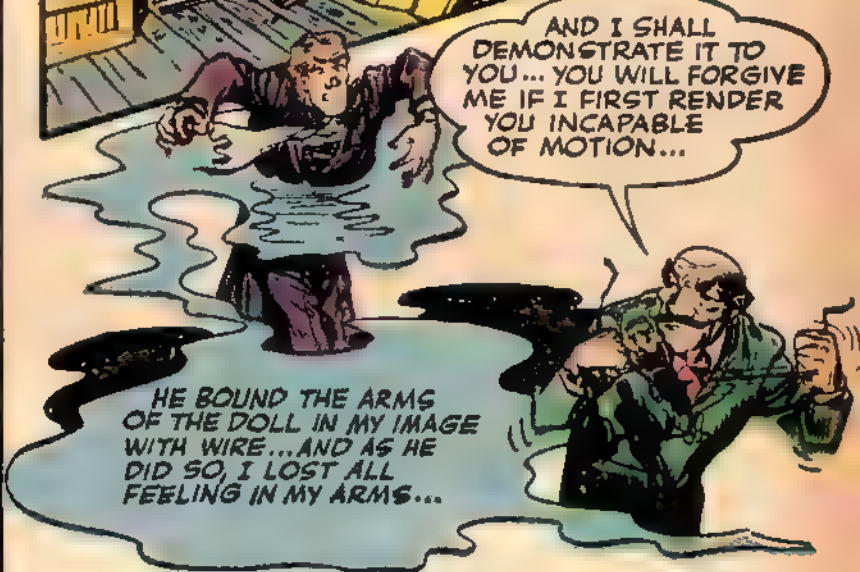
...AND THE PAINS CEASED AS ABRUPTLY AS THEY HAD BEGUN!

DR. DREW... I TRIED TO PREVENT YOUR COMING... BUT SINCE I FAILED... WON'T YOU SIT DOWN? ER... PERMIT ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF.. **LEANDER MILES.**



BUT I THOUGHT YOU DIED IN AFRICA!

MOST PEOPLE THINK SO.. I FIND IT CONVENIENT TO MAINTAIN THAT ILLUSION. BUT I RETURNED FROM AFRICA WITH THE SECRET OF THE KAFFIR WITCH DOLL. I AM THE ONLY MAN ALIVE WITH THAT SECRET!



AND I SHALL DEMONSTRATE IT TO YOU... YOU WILL FORGIVE ME IF I FIRST RENDER YOU INCAPABLE OF MOTION...

HE BOUND THE ARMS OF THE DOLL IN MY IMAGE WITH WIRE... AND AS HE DID SO, I LOST ALL FEELING IN MY ARMS...



YOU WERE VERY CLEVER TO FIND ME, DR. DREW... AND YOUR CLEVERNESS WILL PROVE YOUR UNDOING!



!!
NO NO..
STOP!

BUT BEFORE THAT HAPPENS, YOU ARE GOING TO WATCH WHAT HAPPENS TO JENNIE PARIS.. BY **WITCHCRAFT!**

IT'S SUCH A SIMPLE WAY OF GETTING REVENGE.. OLD PAPA BERTRAND MAKES ME THE DOLLS..THE REST IS THE SECRET OF AFRICA .

OBSERVE, DR. DREW! WHAT I AM ABOUT TO DO TO THIS IMAGE WILL BE FELT BY JENNIE PARIS, MILES AWAY!

STOP, YOU FIEND!
[НОВИМООС КАТОП]

YOUR ATTEMPTS AT WHITE MAGIC ARE FUTILE, DR. DREW. MISS JENNIE PARIS REFUSED MY LOVE.. THEREFORE SHE MUST PAY THE PENALTY!

UGH!!

HE WAS SO INTRIGUED WITH HIS OWN ELOQUENCE THAT HE FORGOT TO WATCH ME... I SAW MY CHANCE I SIEZED THE REPLICA OF MYSELF AND SMASHED IT ON THE TABLE...

THE CURSED IMAGE SPLINTERED INTO A THOUSAND PIECES .

I WAS FREE!

NO!

AND NOW FOR THIS DOLL!

WITH ALL MY STRENGTH I HURLED THE IMAGE OF JENNIE PARIS AGAINST THE WALL!

AND TEN MILES AWAY...

MARY..FRED.. THE PAINS.. THEY'VE STOPPED!



DREW! YOU'LL
PAY FOR THIS -
I SWEAR IT!

PERHAPS, BUT YOU'LL
NOT FIND IT QUITE SO
EASY WITHOUT YOUR
BLACK MAGIC!

In the melee, shelves of dolls
were smashed and overturned!



AND FROM THE DEBRIS OF PLASTER,
STRAW, AND COTTON CAME SMOKE...
THEN FLAMES...

I FLED...



...AND NONE TOO SOON! AS I REACHED THE
STREET, THE BUILDING BURST INTO FLAMES...
A MONSTROUS FUNERAL PYRE FOR THE LAST
PRACTITIONER OF THE DEADLIEST ART THE
WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN...



LATER...

DR. DREW...
I DON'T KNOW
HOW TO
THANK YOU.

I SHOULD THANK
YOU, MY DEAR...
YOU BROUGHT
MILES' ACTIVITY TO
LIGHT...WE CAN
BOTH BE GLAD THE
AFFAIR IS FINISHED,
EXCEPT THAT I
DO WISH WE COULD
HAVE PREVENTED
THAT FIRE...

WHY?? - UGH! -
WE'RE WELL RID
OF HIM AND HIS
WITCHCRAFT!

BUT STILL, I WOULD
HAVE LIKED TO KNOW
JUST HOW HE DID IT!
...ER.. PROFESSIONAL
REASONS, OF COURSE..



THE END

FLASH!

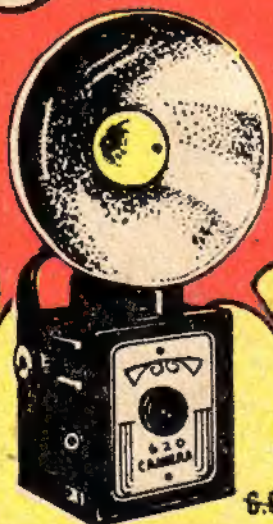
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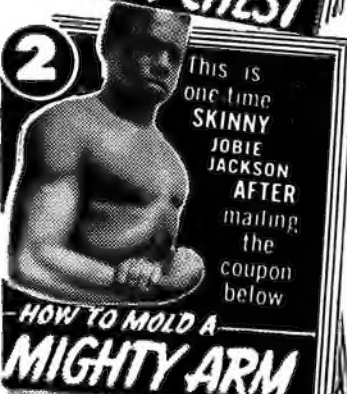
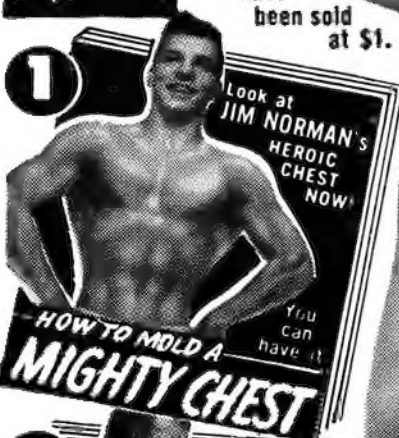
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